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The Snapper

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MUSIC DEPARTMENT PRESENTS CONCERT

The music department is announcing a spring concert, April 12 at 8:15 in chapel, which will represent the various types of work done in the department. The two principal music organizations, the orchestra and choral club, will appear supported by soloists in voice, piano, and organ. Rosalie Sutherland and Gladys Guenther will perform at the piano, Eileen Weir will sing. A piano duet will be performed by Jane VanHouten and Marilyn Stafne.

The concert will open with a group of sacred chorales by Luther, Hassler, and Bach, performed from the balcony by the wind section. From the stage, the Glee Club will then do a group of sacred numbers following the continuity set up by the orchestra. Their selections will include "In Heaven Above," a Norwegian folk song arranged by A.O. Anderson; the Spanish song, "In Joseph's Lovely Garden," arranged by Dickson; and Leland Sateren's "We Praise Thee, O God."

Continuing, the orchestra will play a suite by the French composer, Lully. After the intermission the soloists will appear, to be followed by the choral group, which will conclude the program with a group of secular numbers. They will sing the Russian folk songs, "Cossack's Lullaby" and "The Peddler;" the former arranged by Levenson, the latter by H.R. Wilson. They will also sing "Vanka 'n' Tanka" arranged by Watson, "Cloucy" by Bircsak, and "Pe-Terkin Spray" arranged by Whitehead. The concert is open to the public.

NINE DAYS

Some folks use vacation
Exclusively for recreation.

Others hide in nooks
Writing up note-books.

A few, to earn nickles,
Sell stockings or pickles.

Their friends read minutely,
To type papers astutely.

And at least one has said
That she'll take to her bed.

But when all's said and done -
I'll make mine fun!

RED PRESENTS BARB LOOMIS

The stony stare of the razzing chairman of the class of '46 can and does change rapidly to grins and smiles at the thought of steaks (thick and cooked rare), and a lovely hot summer day. She also loves frilly flowers "on other people" and enjoys swimming. Efficient and responsible. Barb Loomis officiated as Junior Class President, and is now busy fulfilling her duties as Secretary-treasurer of Holton Hall. On her pet peeve list we find singing commercials, and people who leave stories unfinished in the middle. An O.T. major, Barb's immediate ambition is to be successful "out in the field," but as for the far distant future--who knows??



TONI SARG INFLUENCES O.T.'S

"A rag, a bone, a hank of hair!" Well, that's not exactly the case but it really is amazing to hear the senior O.T.'s explain what goes into those attractive puppets that have taken over the speech room en masse. They are of all kinds and species. Ponies, elephants, little girls, dancers, Prince Charming, old men, a scare crow, a tiger - they're all there, "hangin' from the rafters".

Well represented is the society of circus people. The first project of this class in Recreational Therapy, which is under the direction of Miss Reber, was to make clowns. These captivating creatures in their suits of stripes or polka dots do all sorts of tricks and are not the least bit self-conscious about their impish actions. The clowns and the animals that have been made will be cast in a circus review to be a part of the puppet program that will be presented after Spring Vacation.

Other interesting events on the program will include a Christmas play that is under the direction of Clare Buswell and the tale of Cinderella, presented by Dorothy Ford and her group. Barbara Col-lard is in charge of the circus variety show. A novel side-light will be the act between scenes by a colored couple.

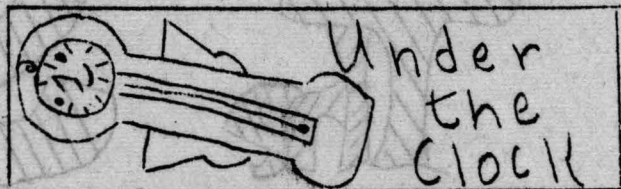
As part of their work the class is going to make a permanent contribution to the college by constructing a puppet stage, a hand-puppet theater, and also sewing the curtains.

This puppet program promises to be a big event. It will be presented three times after Spring Vacation: to the college, to an outside group of children, and for an O.T. club meeting. Watch for it!

FASHIONS HERALD SPRING

The Home Economics club under the direction of Miss West, will sponsor a Style Show to be held Tuesday night at 7:30 in the Chapel. The show itself will be put on by a group of professional models from Schuster's department store and will be directed by Miss Wolpert.

The change in styles brought in by the ending of the war will all be reviewed for the benefit of the student body and faculty. As an added feature, soft music will be played. The price of admission is twenty-five cents.



The Verse Speaking Choir will present the "Little Lost Lamb" on April 12 at noon in the Chapel. It is a selection for children, written by Golden MacDonald.

Ann Waters and Dorothy Chamberlain will present a kinetic interpretation with the choir.

Best wishes, Bernie! Announcement is made of the engagement of Bernice Larson to Mr. Paul Kilgon, a senior at Loyala Dental School in Chicago.

Another Downerite is also exhibiting a diamond on her third finger, left hand. It is none other than Sally Gruetzmacher who is engaged to Don Hall of Milwaukee. Best wishes, Sally!

Congratulations to Louise Wesle, president-elect of City Students' Organization for the year 1946-47.

All you "lovers of the dance", don't forget the April Informal that will be held in Greene on the thirteenth. Get your dates now.

WHAT'S NEWS IN THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

On March 25, at St. Pauls Cathedral, Miss Howe will preview the next symphony concert.

A class recital of piano students will be given in the Teakwood room of Chapman Memorial Library, Thursday, March 28 at 8:00 P.M. The performance is open to students, faculty, and the general public.

Today at 3:00 P.M. a gallery tour of Modern French paintings on exhibit at the Milwaukee Art Institute will be given especially for MDC students by B. Burton Cumming, Director.